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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of Palese et al.

Application No.: 08-444,994

Filed: May 19, 1995

For: IDENTIFICATION AND USE OF
ANTIVIRAL COMPOUNDS THAT
INHIBIT INTERACTION OF HOST
CELL PROTEINS AND VIRAL
PROTEINS REQUIRED FOR VIRAL
REPLICATION

Art Unit: 1648

Examiner: Parkin, J.

Attorney Docket No.: 6923-054

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 19, 1999, be extended for a period of five months from August 19, 1999 to and including January 19, 2000.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$925.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date January 14, 2000

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